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WHE LUSITANO LILLIPUTIANS

The opportunity given the general public. of seeing for themselves to what a high standard of merit the clever little Lusitano Lilliputians have attained was greatly appreciated by those who patronised "La Mascotte" at the Theatre Royal last night. The audience was large and enthusiastic, de Paul, in aid of which the performance was given, should materially benefit as a

acting came as something in the natura of a revelation. Unaffected and natural to a surprising degree, they all took sheir parts with delightful and refreshing confidence. The spoken dialogue as well as the operatic passages were handled with a clearness of enunciation which censidering all circumstances, was little short of remarkable. Anything in the nature of stage-fright or shyness seemed faithest from the thoughts of the juveniles. Abounding in pretty music, the piece contained a great number of dainty songs and duets, all of which were faultlessly rendered by the little vocalists. Encores were numerous. Although it may be said that all did their parts splendidly, special mention is due of charming little Miss Mirida Osmund in the title rôle, as well as of Miss Phyllis D'Almada e Castro, Master Jorge Dick D'Almada e Castro, Master Jorge Vas, Master Rodolpho Baptista and Master Fernando Remedios.

Philarmonica, with Mr J. C. do Rozario as accompaniet, added greatly to the success | 50 of the event by their capital music. A matinee purformance of the play was given this afternoon.

ITEMS AT THE COURTS.

Once again the Magistracy was very equiet this morning, only a few Chinese cases being dealt with.

 Two natives were charged at the Magis-. trag with running trucks at a furious rate. As 's result of their carelessness a girl received a masty injury to her leg. A fine of \$3 each was inflicted.

The two Chinese who were found in the Plan of Seats now open at MOUTRIE & early morning near the Ko Sing Theatre with daggers, pepper and gags in their possession have each been sentenced to three months' hard labour.

The case against S. E. Allana come up again before Mr E. R. Hallifax, at the Magistracy to day. Mr P. Hett, for de- LATE OF WILKS & JACK, LD. fundant, having addressed his Worship, Mr P. W. Goldring replied and his Worship discharged defendant, so witnesses being called for the defence.

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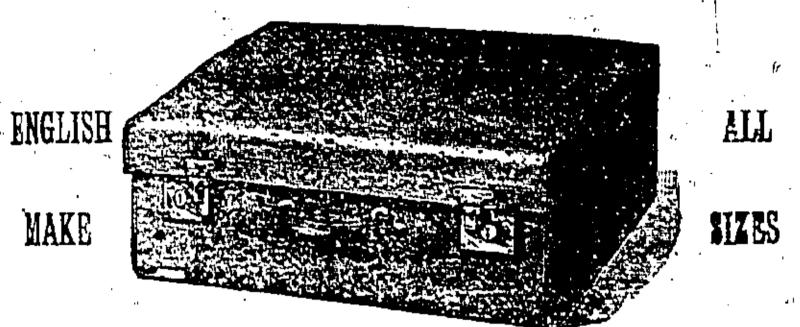
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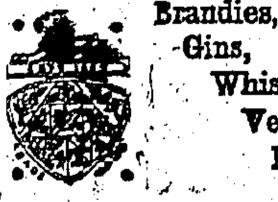
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HOLDERS of the above Company will be
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15th March, 1910, to receive a Statement of Accounts to the 31st December, 1989, and the Report of the General Manager and Consulting Committee and to elect a Consulting Committee and Auditor.
The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Com-

pany will be CLOSED from 1st March to the 14th day of March, both days inclusive. W. G. DARBY, General Manager, THE CHINA-BORNEO Co., LD.

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PANY, LIMITED. THE TWENTY-FIRST ORDINARY ANNUAL MEETING of SHARE. HOLDERS in the Company will be held in the OFFICE of the GENERAL MANA-GERS, St. George's Buildings, Victoria,

Hongkorg, on SATURDAY, the 19th day of March, 1910, at 11.30 o'clock a.m., for the purpose of receiving a Statement of Hamilton Academicals, 7-1. Accounts and the Report of the General Managers for year ending 31st December, Dundee were disappointing with Gree-1909, Declaring a Tividend and electing a nock Morton, although they pulled off Consulting Committee and Auditors. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Com-

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SCOTTISH SPORT.

(From Our Ours Correspondents) EDINDURGH, February 15.

- ASSOCIATION CUT TIES. There are two notable results in the Scottish Cup ties, -the defeats of Falkirk and Rangers. They take a good deal of interest out of the games that follow, for a defeat in the Cup means retirement from the contest.

The match between Clyde and Rangers was played in soft mud. The conditions suited Olyde, their lack of speed at halfback would have handicapped them on fister ground. Rangers, however, were the inferior lot, they had themselves to blame in putting a weak team into the field, and went down by 2-0.

A Saturday or two ago," Fallirk suffered a heavy defeat at Dundee, and thereby lost s good chance of the Championship. Now Dundee have put them out of the Cup by 3.0. Falkirk's luck has apparently run out; they were wholly outclassed. Dundee's victory was a surprise on form; a club that could only account for Leith after two attempts made a really fine show against the Bairne."

Kilmarnock had bad tactics to blame for their defeat by Third Lanark, 2-0. The more dashing style of the Volunteers won.

Third Lanark, however, did not survive their meeting with Celtic... For an hour they were quite as good as their opponents indeed, for forty-five minutes they were the best team; but in the closing passages they wholly broke up, and the Irishmen had a comfortable victory by 3 to 1. The Heart of Midlothian and St Mirror have twice failed to decide matters, and

still remain a tie. Queen's Park won as they pleased from Kirkenldy United, 6-1. The Amatours give curious examples of change of form one day they go down before a third rate club, and the next they are all over a stiff combination like Kirkcaldy.

In their next game, it took the Queen's Park over an hour to settle East Fife, 818 3-2. East Fife, it may be remarked, was the last survivor of the Second Division qualifiers in the Cup.

The Hibernians were lucky in getting through: Ayr had three-fourths of the game and only lost by 1-0. Aberdeen knocked but Bo'ness, 3-0; and then Airdriconians, 3-0. In both

matches the Northerners were far the better lot. Motherwell put on 3-0 against Morton. It was delightfully humourous to have the Greenock club protesting that there was

too much rain! ~ The Hearts and St Mirren remain locked, and the state of the competition is now fined down to the following clubs,-

Hibernians v. Hearts or St. Mirren. Celtic v. Aberdeen. Motherwell v. Dundee. Queen's Park v. Clyde. SCOTTISH LEAGUE-FIRST DIVISION.

Clyde defeated Hibs, 1-0, a sterling performance in a good fight. Falkirk had a narrow victory of 1-0 over Port Glasgow Athletic, a result that seems to point to growing staleness in the "Bairns;" for the Port are by no means a strong combination this season.

Kilmarnock did anything they liked with Dundes were disappointing with Gree-

with 2-1. Partick Thiatle made 2 to Motherwell's 1. RUGBY INTERNATIONAL.

Scotland suffered her customary defeat from Wales on visiting Cardiff, and by the unexpectedly large margin of 1 goal 3 tries 296 to 0. The ground was literally a sea of mud, and in the North would have been pronounced quite unfit for play. This was to the advantage to the Welshmen, who play a simply marvellous game in a mixture of earth and water, as Ire-THE TWENTY-EIGHTH ORDINARY land and the South Africans have ere now found to their cost. The Scottish

> fortunately, the University were unable to place their full team in the field, two of their players being engaged in the Inter-national at Twickenham, while on the off. To add still further to their misfortunes one of the forwards got his 302 log broken about the middle of first half, and the students to de battle for the rest the game with fourteen men, and in the second half against a high wind. Until they lost their forward, however, the University held their own. It was only, in the last stages that the Watsonians got the upper hand, and there they put on the tall score of 31 points to 3. With a full University side, there should be a good fight

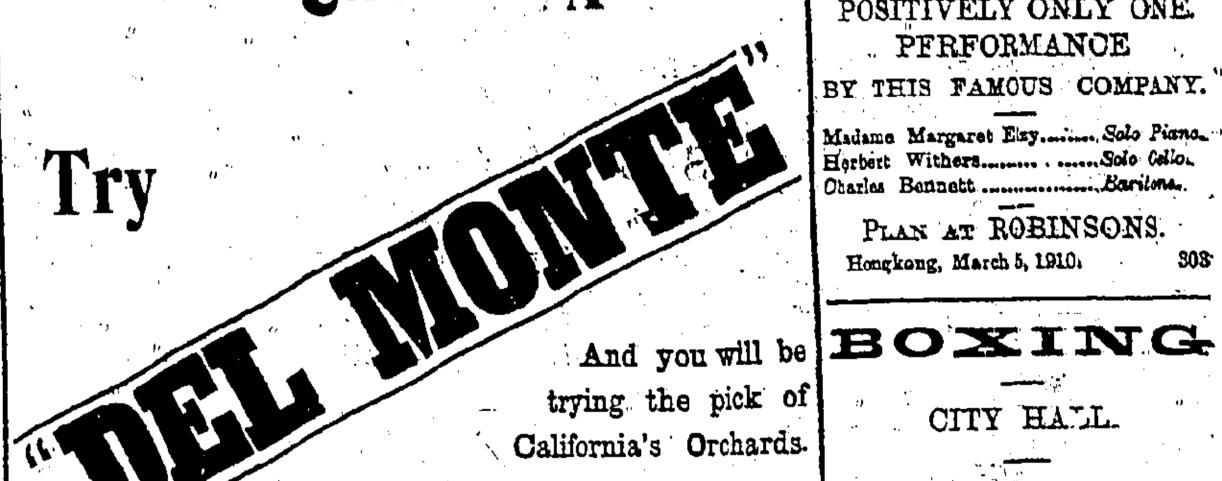
between the teams. The Inter-Academical ended in a victory for Edinburgh by 11 points to Glasgow's 8. 322 The East were good winners in a hard West of Scotland ran up 14 points

against Edinburgh Wandsrers. "Ulydendale are not faring well : they lost to Glagow University by 8 points to 5 HOCKEY, At Dunfermline, Scotland best Wales by 7 goals to 0 in the first international Intimations.

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March, at 11.30 A.M., for the purpose of the match. They won the game by a sort MAKE NOTICE that under No. 5 of the receiving the Report and Statement of of Welsh variety of the traditional Scottish | DOMESTIC CLEANLINESS and Accounts for the year ending 31st Decem- forward game. Their advances, were in VENTILATION BYE-LAWS (as amendclose formation at the start, but they ed), every Domestic Building or part of Stewardss for a Mail Boat Hong showed remarkable skill and restraint as such building within the WESTERN kong Australia run. pany will be CLOSED from the 11th to ground was gained. When neartheline, no Division of the City of Victoria, thing could be finer than the way in which they made short kicks along to the man best placed to continue the savance. A reservation or those parts of a domestic buildgrettable feature, which cannot be over- ing used as a shop, office or godown, must looked in accounting for the result, was be CLEANSED and LIMEWASHED the mishap which befel J. M. Tennent, THROUGHOUT by the Owners during the the Scottish half-back, who had his elbow months of February and March. hurt in the first half, and who was so . N.B .- The word 'throughout' used in severely injured by a kick on the ankle that this notice means that the houses should be Scotland was deprived of his services Limewashed in respect of all the Walls of

throughout the latter portion of the game: each. Room, all cubicles, partitions, Stair At the same time there could be no mis- Casings and Stair Linings, all Cellings and A taking the superiority of the Welshmen. | the Undersides of Roofs in Main Carved, Painted or Polished Woodwork

in good condition, however, need not be Limewashed but must be Oleansed. The Western division of the City lies morning of the match three others cried Street. The Government Limewishing Contrac-

tor is prepared to cleanse and limewash floors at the rate of \$1.05 per floor on A application being made to the Secretary profits for young men with small capital in of the Sanitary Board. W. BOWEN ROWLANDS. Dated this lat day of March, 1910.

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THE STORY OF THE YACHT, Auctions.

the earlier part of the Touth Century, he received from his Royal friend of Norway PUBLIC AUCTION. a present of a pleasure barge. This was FESSES HUGHES & HOUGH have a gorgoous gift-more a reflection of Cleopatra's finating palace than an anticipation of the trim craft whose Mecca is Cowes. Its sails were of "imperial" MONDAY. purple, and its docks were wrought the 14TH MARCH, 1910, at 12 o'clock Noon, with gold. But, though ill-fitted to at their Arction Rooms, No. 8, Das buffet occan waves, it was ble forelather Vous Roam" (Corner of of the white-winged craft which skim the seas to-day. The story of yachting THE VALUABLE LEASEHOLD really starts-with-the rise of England's maritime glory, The Sixtpenth Contury, which witnessed the somewhat dublous

the victor. This is the earliest record of a

It is strange, considering how long

Englishmen had been a maritime race.

that the pastime did not sconer

come into general vogue. It was

fully a century later before it gained

anything like a hold upon sportsmen,

and imbued them with the spirit of Cun-

To the Emerald Isla belongs the honour

of establishing the first yacht club, In

1720 the Cork Harbour Water Club was

formed, to develop into the Royal Cork

Yacht Club. About this time sailing and

racing were becoming popular amusements

on the Thames; but until the end of the

ed slowly. Although contests were

held at Cowes as far back as 1789

don. But it was not until 1812 that the

Royal Yacht Squadron came into existence at Cowes with 50 members. Those were

of an accepted dandy. Several years

later the first regatts was beld; and

thus was inaugurated the Sacred Festival

of Neptune-Cowas Week. The Royal

Yacht Squadron-plenary potentate and

arbiter elegantiarum of the yachting realm-

was firmly enthroned. The Royal Thames

Yacht Club was born in 1824, as well as

the Royal North Yacht Club on the Clyde;

and in rapid succession clubs arose in all the chief seaports of the kingdom. Yacht-

ing became a great national pastime; and

its golden age dawned even before the

renaissance of sport in the latter part of

last century. . It was the response to the

craving for natural pleasures-freedom

from artificial restraint-voiced by Words-

The world is too much with us: late and

Getting and spending we Jay waste our

We have given our hearts away, a sordid

The sea that bares her bosom to the moon-

The winds that will be howling at all hours,

And are ungathered now, like Creeping

For this, for everything we are out of tune

attention; and of later years have been

thusiasts....Lord Dunrayer and Six Thomas

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned have received instruc-

tions to Sell by Public Auction.

FOR ACCOUNT OF THE CONCERNED.

SATURDAY

the 12th March, 1910, at 2.30 P.M., at

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TERMS :-- As usual.

Hongkong, March 9, 1910.

hack.

The following China Ponies :---

America soon, followed in the wake ti

Little we see in Nature that is ours;

worth when he said :--

Flowers. -

It moves us not.

A-wet sheet and a flowing sea, .

And bends the gallant mast.

And fills the white and rustling sails,

A wind that follows fast,

ningham's words :

Nos. 20 & 21, PRAYA KENNEDY TOW: deeds of gentlemen buccanours-who made patriotism profitable by plundering the Nos. 454, 456, 458, 460 and 462, DES VŒUX ROAD WEST, national enemies—also beheld gentlemen of VICTORIA, HONGKONG. England taking their pleasure on the waven they were destined to rule. Elizabeth, of The property comprising LOT I. blessed memory, had her royal barge. registered in the Land Office as MARINE LOT NUMBER TWO HUNDRED AND In her roign was built the first boat that could be called a yacht-and it was SIXTY-THREE and is held for the resibuilt at Cowes in 1588. Regattes were due of a term of 999 years from the 24th June, 1887, at a Crown Rent of \$138 per undreamt of the Carnival of the Solent was annum. Area 12,235 square feet or there- hidden in the future. King James's master abouts and is used for Godowns capable of shipwright made a pleasure craft for Prince producing a monthly of rental of \$500. The property comprising LOT II is Henry, and in 1680 the Dutch gave Charles registered in the Land Office as SECTIONS II a 'yacht-though the word was as yet A. B. C. D AND E OF MARINE LOT unknown in England. The King liked NUMBER ONE HUNDRED AND sailing, and was quite at home with the TWENTY-SIX and is held for the residue of a term of 999 years from the 24th tiller. He designed a 25-ton yacht, which December, 1865, at an apportioned Crown | was built at Lambeth in 1662, and made Rent of \$78.30 per annum, Area 8,620 other adventures in the sess of marine square feet or thereabouts and is used for architecture. In that year he match-Godowns capable of producing a monthly ed his little barque against one of rental of \$440. Particulars and Conditions of Sale may Dutch build, owned by his brother of be had from the Vendors Solicitors. York-Lord High Admiral of England-DEACON, LOOKER & DEACON, for a stake of £100. The course was from 1. Dos Vœux Road Central, Greenwich to Gravesend and back, and Victoria, Hongkong, Charles, who steered part of the day, was ___ and also from

THE AUCTIONEERS. 298 yacht, race and of an amateur helmsman. Hongkong, March 4, 1910. PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned have received instructions from J. A. JUPP, Esq., to sell by Public Auction FRIDAY and SATURDAY,

the 18th and 19th March, 1910, commencing each day at 2 r.M. sharp, within his residence 'lan Mon,' PEAR ROAD,-

THE WHOLE OF HIS 7-<u>A-L-U-A-</u>B-L-E...<u>H O U S E H O L</u> D FURNITURE, THEREIN CONTAINED. Comprising :-

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HUGHES & HOUGH Auctioneers. Hongkong, March 3, 1910.

SPECIAL SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION HIGH-CLASS JEWELLERY DIRECT FROM LONDON.

THE Undersigned have received instruc-

tions to sell by Public Auction, SATURDAY the 19th March, from 10.45 A.M. to

12.30 P.M. TUESDAY. the 22nd March, 1910, at 2.30 P.M., at their Sales Booms, No. 8,

Des Vœux Road,-Single Stone Dramond Rings, Diamond and Ruby, Emerald, Opal, Turquoise and England. In 1844 a yacht club was Sapphire Rings, Marquise Rings, Gemset Rings, Gold-filled Bangles and Rest Steadily "caught on." Early in July," 1851. the "America" sailed from Sandy

Braceletz, Gent.'s Solid Gold and Gold Hook, and 29 days afterwards reached filled Watches and Alberts, Diamond Tie Havre. Polished into racing trim, she Pins and Study, Lever Watches, Open-face made for Cowes, and on August 22ad sailed in the international regatta for the Watch by Benson (cost £15), 18-Carat Royal Yacht Squadron's Cup, which Gold Watch by Dent (cost £40), Gold-filled she secured. It has been asserted that Repeater, Watches, Waltham Watches, if the conditions of the race had Ladies' Gold and Gold-filled Long Guards, been enforced she would have been dis-Necklets, Brocches, Charms, Chrono Stop But she was treated generously, and the Watches, Non-magnetic Watches, Silver- result has been a series of contests of abbacked Combs. Brushes and Mirrors, sorbing interest to the yachting world. Cigarette Cases, Gold-fronted Links and The courtesy extended has been amply Stude. Gold and Gold-filled Earrings, repaid. The proud winners of the coveted Brooches, flat Pins, Silver Belts, Field to be sailed for periodically by the yachts Oo., Snow Hill, Hollorn Viaduct, E.E. Glasses. Silver-mounted Scant Bottles, of all nations. The naval battles for its St., E.O. MATHER & CROWTHER, Ltd., &c., &c.;

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Hongkong, March 2, 1910.

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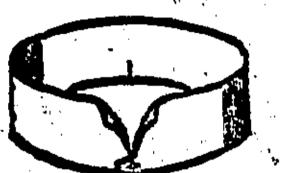
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Kennedy's Stables, Canseway Bay. 9. p.m. - Boxing at City Hall. Conc. Monday, March 14: Noon-Auction of Leasehold Property at-Messra Hughes & Hough's Sales the kind-of-cap-to-make for the

Tuesday, March 15:-Noon-Meeting of the China-Borneo

Co., Ld., at Co.'s Office. FRIDAY, March 18:-2 p.m.-Auction of Household Furniture, &c. st., Ian Mor. Peak Road.

"Co., at City Hall. SATURDAY, March 19:--Cement Co., Ld., at Co.'s Offices.

of Chinayld, at Bank Office. 2.30 p.m.-Auction of High-elass Jewel-Sales Rosms.

The China Mail.

HONGROWG, THURSDAY, MARCH 10, 1910.

Russian papers are greatly perturbed at the steady increase in the Japanese army and navy and the gradual lightening of the beavy burden of debt alarmist deductions from all the facts is inclined to think that the Peace mally largequantities of explosives that can not be keptifor any great length WATSON & CO., of time merely to get rid of a superfluity of money. At the same time it possibly think of a war at present especially with a country so well fixed financially as Russia and having such an able and brilliant Government as that of Stolypin. Long ago we called attention to the danger threatening us, a danger which is unescapable, and which was very clearly characterized in the speeches in the Duma on the Amur railroad bill. And

now that the public has begun

nothing eines the year 1904.' Let us

called 'well-informed,' those on the military power. The original plan of

inside, who anticipated the possibility of war? Was it not the common; people, the unofficial press, the marchants, who at that time showed better insight into the chances of war or peace and the chances of success or failure? The officials, those who should have had accurate . Mowledge of the actual state of affairs, displayed the grossest ignorance and ability whatever to comprehend real situation. When we compare that situation with the present we are forced to reach the very unwelcome conclusion that then the danger of war could have been sverted much more easily than sions which M. Isvoisky is making to Borck thinks that Japan's policy maccessible fortress there, and we as one of extreme seriousness, and had, apparently, a first-class fleet, asserts that M. Stouven, the Russian Above all, we had faith in our own Premier, and General Suchomentors, the superiority, and the Japanese were Minister of War, view it in the most afraid because they had never tried a pessimistic light. war with Europeans. Now everything Such are the arguments which a churis, Port Arthur, and the fleet, we paper and we freely grant that they 9 p.m.—Farewell Concert at City Hall. have withdrawn our army from the warrant serious attention on the part and a credit to the Colonial revenue. Far East, and we have done nothing of all who seek to find a clue Noon-Meeting of Hongkong Gymkhana view the Japanese strength has doub. will falsify the fears of the pessimists led in the last four years, and we, and that the peace of Portsmouth wil

into the mud and, instead of fortifying

Personally we do not follow the Day. -Russian journal in its arguments for another war; we think that both 9 p.m.—Perfermance of Bandmann's Russia and Japan are sincerely des- Philippines. irous of keeping the peace, if mischiev-11.30 a.m.-Meeting of Green Island ous busybodies will only leave them 12.30 p.m.-Meeting of National Bank slone to work out their plans in quietness. But many competent ob lery at Messra Hughes & Hough's servers are not of this way of thinking. matter of cleaning the streets these we For instance, General von DER BOECK, one of Germany's most brilliant infantry commanders, contributes a striking article to the Deutsche Revue bearthere is little likelihood of King Edward ing on the situation. It is not General Boeck's opinion that any imme-THE PROBABILITIES OF WAR. diste outbreak of hostilities between Russia and Japan need be feared, but in view of the persistent preparawill again see the festivity in full swing. tions of both Powers, the fact that they are steadily increasing their land armaments, and the still graver fact a speedy and efficacious remedy. which the late war saddled upon the that the political situation is gradual-Mikado's empire. They draw very ly assuming a darker complexion, be coming to their knowledge and most Portsmouth cannot last beyond the of them-despite the denial of the close of the year 1912. The troops Committee to-day. Russian Government contained in a which Russia possessed in the Far formal State document-predict that East at the close of the war have another conflict between the two been largely strengthened, so that at played on the Yokohama ground. When Powers is fast becoming inevitable. the present time they cannot be short The News Vramea is, of course, of a peaco footing of 200,000 men; among the suspicious ones, and a force which were war to break out so is the Viedomosti, but it is a could easily and speedily be raised the Good Friday selections from "The paper called the Reich that comes to 300,000 without drawing a single to hear from anyons interested. forth most outspokenly. It says :- soldier from European Russia. Another According to the official assurances important fact noted by General BOECK Japan is arming herself simply because is the strengthening of the defences of she loves to play soldiers. It seems Vladivostock, which has been raised to that she is buying in Europe abnor- the rank of a first class fortress. But the weightiest item in the development of Russian power in the Far East will be, according to Borck, the decision to build the Amur railway. The Third price of goods likely to attract the visitors' is also argued that the Capanese Duma, in view of the importance of this budget is so beavy that she can not railway, has unbesitatingly voted the necessary funds. The Russian Govern- Union Church Literary Club, for this of cases of malaria had decreased from ment's decision to double the track of the Siberian line is a step the gravity of which cannot be overrated. Japan freed for the present from maritime cares is similarly engaged in strengthening her position on land. The thirteen divisions of her army when war broke out have been raised to nineteen, so that at the Hospkong will begin this evening at the present moment her army on a war footing would consist of 550,000 men

the Chinese Covernment was to form thirty-six divisions each of 10,000 mea, and to have this entire force ready to take the field before the year 1929, but it is perfectly evident from the reports which have filtered through to Europe that this huge army will be ready by 1912, or ten years earlief than was originally intended. General Borek is inclined to believe from the recently visited Chins that in 1912 the Chinese will possess a well-equipped army of half a million man, the greater part amed with modern wespons, and with a discipline and organisation infinitely superior to anything which now, despite the humiliating conces- China has hitherto produced. General the Japanese. At that time we re- Asia for the Asiatics with Japan at the presented a great, untried potential head of a coalition of the yellow races siderable detail as to the reason for this power. The Far East was supposedly will then be within measurable distance to say that the present estimated cost for completion did not very greatly our huge field of battle, we had an of realisation. He regards the situation

for our rehabilitation, have sunk deeper the Peace of Ryswick. NEWS OF THE DAY.

our frontiers, have been discussing - A concert is to be held at St. Patrick' Club on Thursday, March 17, St. Patrick's

> Sir Clifton Robinson's present visit to tramway and traction questions in the

The annual dinner of the Institution of Engineers and Shipbuilders of Hongkong takes place to-morrow evening at the Hongkong Botel, at 3 o'cleck.

days! It looks as is the contractor was not particularly well looked after. The Kaiser Wilhelm having abandoned his proposed trip to the Mediterranean

meeting him during his present holiday. Though many people in Manila favour the dropping of the February Carnival for one year, theoprobabilities are that 1911

Provided the weather allows, the lads who have been training during the winter under the Rev. H. O. Spink will give a calisthenic display on Saturday at Kowloon-

Preparations are well advanced for the of laying of the foundation stone of Horgkong University on the 16th March, invitation to which were issued by Mr Mody and the

Yokohama hadan easy win last month over Kobe in the Interport Rughy match, play finished Yokohama had 42 points (6 goals and 4 tries) to nil.

There are still opportunities for vocalists to aid the Cathedral Choir in already been written off and if they Messis W. Hutton Potts and A. R. Lowe the Good Friday selections from "The assumed that the balance realised be re-elected auditors. Messiah." MriDenman Fuller will be glad two-thirds of the book values there

H.M.S. Edgar, with reliefs for the small ships on the China station, arrived in harbour last evening. Some of the new mon will join their boats here while the Edgar will take the remainder to Shangb-i.

The second Cleveland, party of American tourists were well entertained during their visit to Japan. The shopkeepers emphasised their velcome by reducing the fancy by 20 per cent.

session, will be held to-night, when Lieut. Colonel Bayard, D.S.O., of the Bulls, will to the exertions of Dr Hartley. His lecture on "Eight months in the Aden Hinterland." This will be a most interesting-lecture, recounting as it does the Colonel's personal experiences of a little known expedition from Adén.

An interesting series of lectures on Chinese Y.M.C.A. Mr. Adam Gibson, Gvernment Veterinary Surgeon, will lecture at eight o'clock of "The Markets and and 12,000 horses. And as there is no Slaughter Houses of the Colony." The rinks. When shall we see such a rink in scent this danger very strongly, an lack of men in the Mikado's empire Chair will be taken by Dr. Wan Man Kai, Hongkong. Surely there is money in it. and Dr. Lau Li, will interpret the attempt is made to lull it to sleep. General. Borok believes that were war address. The second of the sories will Sloop, dear Public, on the feather- now to be declared a million Japanese follow on Thursday, the 17th March, when Lieut. C. W. Beckwith, R.N., will lecture bed of groundless hopes. Put your soldiers could take the field within a on " Hongkong Harbour, Harbour Stations trust in those who have learned few weeks. A most important factor and Waters of the Colony:" The third of in the altering circumstances, in his the series will be given on Thursday, the 24th March, by Mr H. T. Jackman on recall the year 1905; Was it the no. opinion, is the remaissance of the Chinese | "The Water Supply of the Colony of

KOWLOON-CANTON RAILWAY. Important Speech by the Governor.

At the meeting of the Legislative Council this afternoon the annual reporfor 1909 on the British section of the Kowloon-Canton Railway was laid on the table. His Excellency the Geversor (Sir F. D. Lugard), in the course of an explanatory speech, said the members' would prebably wish that he should, in the first place, allude othe total cost of the completion of the rail way. The original estimate of the Chief Resident Engineer was \$3,003,642. That estimate did not include the cost of workshops or reports of German officers who have the cost of rolling stock, neither of which could be estimated for in June, 1907 the time at which the estimate framed: It did not include, also, interest on capital account and the loss on exchange. "At the end of 1908 a revised estimate for completion was made by the Chief Resident Engineer and was laid befere the Council. That estimate cluded the two items of which he had spoken-cost of workshops and cost of rolling stock-but it did not include interest on the capital expenditure and the loss of exchange, which were still omitted That estimate amounted to \$11,004,128, and at the time the estimate was laid before the Council he went into very conparticular increase. He was now glad exceed the figure quoted, for although the foob total shood at \$12,371,494 -which was an increase of \$1,367,367, on the former estimate—out of that sum \$913,922 was for interest on capital account hold at the Company's ofices. No. and for loss of exchange, which had Queen's Road Central, to-day. been hitherto omitted from the estimates His Excellency anid he explained at

of the current revenue of the Colony. It Chan Pat, and Mr H. E. Hickman, acting was, in fact, a debit to the railway secretary. Proceeding to deal with the several items voning the meeting. the report. His Excellency said the

Cannot something be done in the

like 73 per cent. He was thankful to say position of the company by continuing to that all the numels on the railway were build up this extra reserve fund. Turning now completed. They had all been con- now to the accounts, premium and interes structed for a double line, with the exceptaccounts show gains of \$39,999.10 and the most costly; that was the only tunnel is \$2.185.25 less than the previous year, construction. No. 5 probably was, on the satisfactory increase. Our investments in whole, in proportion to its length, shares appreciated considerably and this the cheapest of all, and yet that accounts for the addition of \$28,768.79 to tunnel was undoubtedly, from an engineering point of view, much the company's surveyors have reported on our
most difficult. Its completion reflected advances under mortgage loans and I am the greatest credit on Mr Logan, who had bappy to assure you that, except in two cases charge of its construction, both for the which are now being dealt with, the same engineering skill displayed and the control are satisfactory. Fires during the past exercised over its cost. Under roads there year proved rather numerous in India and

was an increase over the original esti- New Zealand; but I am glad to say in no mate of \$37,700, and of \$35,220 over last instance were we seriously involved. year. Under bridges the total increase will now move that the directors'-report over last year's estimate was \$185,553 and statement of accounts for the year and over the original estimate \$161,658. 1908 as presented, be adopted. After this Of this he regretted to say that \$94,349 has been seconded, I shall be pleased to was loss due to defective bridges. On the answer any questions that may be put other hand, on looking at the estimates | relating to the business before the meeting. they would find there was an anticipated saving of \$139,998 on station buildings, proposed the adoption of the report and and this in spite of the fact that \$100,000 accounts. had been set aside for a railway pier; which had hitherto not been included. was carried. The buildings would be of an inexpensive . On the motion of Mr A. H. M. da character until such time as experience Silva seconded by Mr Machado the and the demands of traffic showed what appointments of Messrs J. W. Bandow, permanent buildings would be necessary. G. Balloch and F. Lieb to the board of There was also a decrease in the estimate directors was confirmed and Messrs Shewan

\$132,115. The original cost of comple- Mr Laylor Seconded by Mr Silva. to the extent of two lacs had shanks seconded and it was agreed to that was a credit shown of \$150,000 after all be posted to-day.

depreciation had been written off. The

progress of the railway had been very satisfactory during the year. They hoped that the line would be open for traffic in July HIS season always brings on more or next and completed entirely by the end of less diagrhoe's which is promptly December this year. The temporary line checked by Chamberlain's "Colic. Cholers would not, as intended, go by the overland and Diarrhoos Remedy. Get a bottle and by the German steamer leaving Tsingroute, but, owing to the alteration in the be prepared for sudden attacks. For sale tao on the 22nd inst. centre line, would now be able to follow by all chemists and storekeepers the permanent road. By the time the rolling stock arrived from England and was erected-it more than two months overdue—they hoped the bridges now being reconstructed would be finished. In conclusion His Excellency referred to the report of the The last ordinary meeting of the medical officer, showing that the percentage

\$4 48 per month in 1907 to 76 - a decrease of 190 per cent. For this he paid a tribute Excellency also made reference to the appointment of Mr Lindsey as successor to Mr Eves, saying they had louned his services for two years in order to get the highest possible export advice both as regarded the organisation of traffic and as regarded the methods by which the Canton and Kowloon sections might most, advantageously be worked in future. He said Mr Lindsey had already made several proposals tending both to

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"Of the Java ports, cholers rages the worst at Samarang where the disease has taken a most malignant form, the death rate at one time amounting to over 70 per cent of the patients. The Batavia Nieuws man Den Dag romarks that this is not surprising, considering that Samarang is a Hongkong, Ita History and Prosent most unhealthy spot, the drinking water being especially of bad quality.

DEPLETED.

A NEW LOAN REQUIRED.

(Router's Service to the China Mod.) Kenter's correspondent at Vicana telegraphs that the Government has asked cent Ionn of £7,580,000 storling.

measures taken during the annexation

FUSHIMIS IN SPAIN

(Renter's Service to the China Mail.) "LONDON, March 10. T. I. H. Prince and Princess Fushimi have reached Seville where they were received by the King and Queen of

> COMPANY MEETING. The China Fire Insurance

Co. Ltd. The forty-first meeting of shareholders in the China Fire Insurance Co., Ltd., was telegraphed to the Chinese Ministers-

Mr R. Shewan presided and there were them to sequest the British and Rumaian. present, Mesers E. Shellin, G. Palloch, some considerable length when he in- J. W. C. Bonnar, J. W. Bandow, F. Lieb, troduced the annual estimates for the H. A. Siebs, directors; A. Turner, J. W. to return to Lhassa. Colony the reason why he considered, and Taylor, O. S. Cruikshanks, W. H. Wickis changed. We lost South Man- high military officer has committed to the Secretary of State approved, this sum ham, J. M. E. Machado, A. H. M. da being charged to the railway instead of out Silva, K. D. Gazdar, A. P. V. da Costa, PAY OF ARMY OFFICERS.

The acting secretary read the notice con-

The Chairman said-Gentlemen. -The of any account for the fortification of the maze of present day politics in the expenditure under land remained as it was directors' report and statement of the before-no alteration had been made in company's accounts for the past year Yladivostok. From a moral point of Far East. We can but hope that time the figures punding the final decision on the having been in your hands for some location of the terminal station. The scheme time, I will, subject to your approval, recommended to the Secretary of State, now adopt the usual course and take on the advice of the managing director, them as read. It gives the board much Mr Lindsey, to place the station on the pleasure to present you such a satisfacinstead of concentrating our efforts be of much longer duration than was reclamation, would mean a decrease on the fory report for the working of the year present figures of probably four lacs, but 1908. With a loss ratio of 52.49% of the if the railway was to be placed on the lots premium income, as compared with 50.94% recently resumed, as proposed by for 1907, the balance of profit amounts to Mr Eves, there would probably be \$276,249.75. We propose to deal with but he deprecated exaggeration. He an increase by that amount. Under earth this sum as follows:—Dividend of \$6.00 said he had examined the question of works in spite of a saving of some \$86,000, and a bonus of \$2.00-\$160,000, add to which had been effected by Mr Lindsey in extra reserve fund, \$111,679.92, bonus to the big cutting by altering the centre office staff \$4,469.83, total \$276,249.45, and line, a careful estimate of the total required | this I trust will meet with your approval. for the construction of earth works showed With regard to the amount placed to the to that there would be an increase of \$ 27.680 extra reserve fund I would point out that the Far East is in connection with on the original estimate and of \$3:9,403 during the year we further extended the on the estimate of last year. Under field of our operations to the Argentine tunnels there was an increase of \$311,320, and South Africa where, working on conwhich included \$35,707 for the comple- | servative lines, we hope to be successful. tion of Bencon Hill tunnel. As they. We must not, however, overlook the fact had all learned, these tunnels had been that with the expansion of business, our found exceedingly difficult to estimate for. liabilities increase in proportion, and your and owing to the exceedingly hard nature directors cannot impress upon you too of the rock and to other causes the total strongly the advisability of taking advantincrease on the original estimate had come age of the opportunity afforded in good out at \$1,607,730, which was something times to further strengthen the financial

Mr A. Turner seconded and the motion for completion and construction of and Siebs were re-elected on the motion of tion was about 54 lacs. Depreciation Mr Machado proposed and Mr Cruick-

There being no questions the Chairman

The Chairman—That is all the business, would then only remain a debit to the rail- | gentlemen ; I am much obliged to you for way of one lac. Similarly in stores there your attendance. Dividend warrants will

> THE FRUIT SEASON. less diarrhoe's which is promptly

THE TIBETAN FERMENT

ITS EFFECT ON INDIA.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.) LONDON, March 9, Reutoc, in an interview with a well-informed and competent Indian authority, on the political effects of the Chamber to authorise a four per the developments in Tibet, elicited an expression of opinion that the nearer It is understood that the military approach of the Chinese to the Indian frontier would increase the facilities crisis in Bosnia-Herzegovina depleted for intriguing with Nepal, Bhutan and Sikhim, which the Chinese already regarded as more or less subject or sister States. This necessitated increased vigilance on the part of the Indian Political Department. The attitude in regard to Nepal was especially important, as the bringing of Nepal and China into closer touch might lead to political complications

> (Wals Tes Yat Po's Service.) PERING, March: 9.

to which it was impossible for India

to be indifferent

The Board of Foreign Affairs has in London and St. Petersburg urging Governments to advise the Dalai Lama

MR. HALDANE CONSIDERING THE QUESTION.

(Reuter's Eservice to the China Mail.) LONDON, March 10.

In the House of Commons, the Minister for War; the Rt. Hon. Mr-R. B. Haldane, replying to various speeches respecting the pay of Army officers, said he was prepared to agree that the matter should receive attention, promotion in the Royal Garrison Artiflery and had found that the causeof stagnation was temporary.

FURTHER AMORTIZ-ATION OF JAPAN'S LOANS.

"Independent News Agency's" Service: to the China Mail.)

Tokyo, March 10. As a result of a conference between the leading bankers and Government representatives held last night, it has tion of the long tunnel. Not I tunnel was \$1,887.57 respectively, whilst charges a/c, been desided to convert on the 4th of made completely by contract, and no par The balance at credit of working account April Yen 100,000,000 of domestic loans ticular difficulties were met with in its 1909 is \$438.406.93, which is a very under the same conditions and terms as the last conversion.

It has further been decided to redeem on the 11th April a part of the consolidated bonds and naval bonds. amounting to yen 50,000,000 in all.

JAPAN'S BUDGET PASSED.

"Independent News Agency's" Service to the China Mail.)

. Toxto, March 10. The budget for the coming fiscal year has passed"the Mouse of Peers 28. amended by the Lower House.

BANK OF TAIWAN.

CAPITAL TO BE DOUBLED.

("Independent News Agency's" Service to the China Mail.) Toxyo, March 10.

The Bank of Taiwan has decided to increase its capital to Yen 10, 000,000 double the present figure.

PRINCE TSAL

(Weh Tex Yot Po's Stroice.) PEKING, March 9. Prince Tsai Tao has decided to embark

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Chapman - Wright.

The marriage took place at St. John's Cathedral, Hongkong, this afternoon, in the presence of a large and fashionable Stafford-Northcote, coffee cups and saucers'; congregation, of Miss Margery Hepworth Mr and Mrs W. Nicholson, silver clock Chapman daughter of Lient. Col. Arthur Mr Newall, silver salt cellars; Mr W. S. Chapman, V.D., Blue Bungalow, Ponk. Ngan, bracelots; Mr and Mrs A. H. Ough; road, Hongkong, and Mr Arthur Edgar Mrs Evan Ormiston, silver ink stand Wright, P.W.D., son of Mr Francis Gaud and pon: Mr and Mrs J. Owen Wright, of Kingston-on-Thames.

attired in a Princesse robe of ivery satis. Dr. and Mrs G. Piercy, blacktrimmed with silk and silver embroidery, wood frame; Mr and Mrs Li Ping, silver the work of Madame Barbier. She wore tea service ; Mr and Mrs T.-E. Pearce, set a wreath of orange blossoms, and had as of ten poys; the Misses Paynter, silver attendants Miss Gaynor Kerfoot Hughes | candle sticks; Mr A. and Miss Rodger, and Master Donald Gooffee Change of bronze statuettes; Mr A. W. L. Robertson, and Master Donald Geoffrey Chapman. drawn thread work; Mr and Mrs Rissland, The little girl was dressed in white silver tea strainer; Mr and Mrs A. muslin, trimmed with pale blue ribbon, Seth, silver cruets; Mesara Harold and and hat to match; the little boy being Hennessy Sath, silver to a spoons and in white reefer suit, trimmed with signr tongs; Mr and Mrs R. Sutherland blue silk. As presents from the bridegroom the attendants were respectively a gold Mr A. Findley, Smith, garnet necklet: and pearl brooch, and gold sleeve links. Mr Crowther Smith and Miss Dorothy The bride carried a choice shower bonquet | Smith, scent bottles; Mr and Mrs M. J. D. of rhododrendon ledifo Mum, eucharistlillies. Mr and Mrs F. Sutton, jar; Rev. A. D. orange blossom, gypsophila, and maiden and Miss Stewart, silver card ase, Dr F. O. hair fern, arranged by Mr Geo. A. Caldwell | Stedman, blackwood chair ; Mr A. Sinclair,

The bridegroom was attended by Mr Henry Thomas Jackman. The service was fully choral, the bride having been a mem; Mrs Tutcher and Miss Bird, pictures; ber of the Cathedral choir, and two hymns | Capt. and Mrs A. J. Thompson, silver were sung: "The Voice that breathed water; Mr J. W. Taylor, silver ladle; o'er Eden "and "O. Perfect Love." The Mr G. G. Wood, bruss gipsy kettle; o'er Eden "and "O, Perfect Love." The Mr G. G. Avoca, orase gapay account, Mr J. R. Wood, silver vases; Mr Johnson, M.A., and the Rev. A. B. Mr E. D. C. Welfe, silver cruets; Miss Thornhill, B.A., while Mr Denman Fuller | Wallace, picture; Mr and Mrs Webb, silpresided at the orgin and played appro. parate wedding marches, and chorales.

The bride's gifts to the bridegroom were a set of hammered gold buttous, and gold sleeve links; while the bridegroom's gift to the bride was an emerald and diamond ring.

After the ceremony a largely attended reception was held at Blue Bungalow. when the cake, supplied by Weismann's, holders; The Clergy, Organist, and Choir of was cut and the customary toasts were duly desk. St. John's Cathedral, blackwood writing Fees Ordinance, 1888. honoured.

The bride's going-away dress was an amethyst cloth costume, braided, made by Madame Flint, and she were a black picture hat made by Errington of Lower

Grosvonor Place, S. W. The list-of presents included the following:-Bride'sfatherand mother, Collard and Collard piano, pearl pendant and chain ; Mr Ben Chapman, silver crumb scoop ; Frank and Donald Chapman, piano stool; Bride-groom's Father and Mother, pearl necklet and pendant, cheque, gold signetring, gold pencil; Mr and Mrs T. N. Lord, gold bracelet, gold pin; Miss Wright: pearl brooch; Mr and Mrs W. Armstrong, spirit decanters; Mrs and Miss Armstrong, Makuza vise; Mr and Mrs F. R. J. Adams, silver sweet dish; Mr W. Auld, bronze and silver vase: Hon. Dr J. M. Atkinson, tea poys Mr J. Durran Auld, silver mirror; Mr and Mrs J. W. C. Bonnar, silver butterdish and knife; Mrand Mrs J. M. Bock, drawn thread work; Dr and Mrs Belilios, silver dragon menu holders; Mr and Mrs F. Browne, eilver egg spoons; Mr and Mrs J. F. Boulton. silver frame; Miss Barker and Sisters of the Govt. Civil Hospital, blackwood chair; Headquarters 5.30 p.m. Dr. Black, silver spirit lamp; Berand Mrs E. G. Barrett, silver box; Mr and Miss Bullock, silver vases; Mr and Mrs J. M. Beattie, silver vases; Mr W. S. Bailey, Pair silver deposit scent bottles; H. E. Major General Broadwood, set of eightsilver sweet dishes; Sir Henry S. Berkeley, eilver trinket box; Mr B.yd, silver sweet stand; Mr and Mrs N. F. Blanch, silver vases : Hen. Mr W. Mrs and Miss Chatham, silver mounted shell fruit dishes; Mr and Mrs G. A. Caldwell, ormula clock; Mr and Mrs Duncan Clark, cut glass salad bowl and servers; Mrs R. Cooke, brass vase; Mr and Mrs F. M. Crawford, jam jars in stand; Mr Chan Chan Nam, Canton enamel chain; Mr Choung Yuk Fai and Mr Tai Tir Shang, · glass flower stand; Mr E. J. Chapman, aneroid barometer; Dr. Francis Clark, binoculars; Mr and Mrs A. G. Coppin, silver sweet basket; Mr A. S. Cobden, silver sweet dishes; Mr Cheong, bracelet; Hon. Sir C. Paul Chater, set of four silver vases; MrChan Kwok On, embroidered silk shawl; Mrs B. Chapman set of Shakespeare; Mr and Mrs R. H. Chapman, Silver rose of York belt buckle; Mr and Mrs T. K. Dealy, cut-glass claret jug Mr and Mrs F. O. Day, silver spoons Messrs Dobbs, Edwards, Howard, and 2.30 and 2.40 p.m. distance, 13 miles. Clark, gipsy kettle; Dr and Mrs Evan Jones, silver sweet dishes; Mr and Mrs Edkins, silver inkpot and pen; Mr and Mrs G. H. Edwards, hand bag; Mr and Mrs A. C Franklin, silver cake knives and spirit lamp; Miss Forshaw, soap stone ink stand; Mr Fung Wa Chun, silver bonbon dish; Mr Fung Shiu Wa, silver and shell the Hongkong C.C. and the Garrison ha dish; Mr Frank Graham, thermos jug; Mr and Mrs A. G. Gordon, silver sweet dishes and spoons; the Misses Gordon, blackwood stand; Mr and Mrs Gilby, silver eard case; Mr and Mrs Griffin, brass flower pot; Mr and Mrs W. D. Graham, Bruxelles lace

berthe; Mr and Mrs Goldsmith, silver

candle sticks; Mr and Mrs Geo. Grimble,

silver sweet dish; Mr J. S. Gubbay, silver

Hoffman, cut glass vase; Mr T. F. Hough,

tea poys; Tommy, Cherub and Caynor

Jughes; silver ten caddy; Mr Mrs and Miss

baromoter; Mrs and Miss Hance, silver

frame; Mr and Mrs W. G. Humphreys, set

of silver menu holders; Mr and Mrs W. M.

shell bon ben dish ; Mr and Mrs Ho Tung,

silver frame; Mr and Mrs Hale, silver

toast rack; Mr and Mrs Holyoak, cloisonne

Yase; Mrs and Miss Hazeland, rilk table

centre ; Mr and Bir G. H. Harman, pair

brass vases; Mr J. I. Hall, Picture; Mr

Mrs Jaffe, case of carvers; Royd. F. T.

Johnson, set of hand painted mate; Mr H.

T. Jackinan, net of silver sweet dishes;

Mr and Mrs P. N. H. Jones, silver ink

stand; Miss James and Miss Ross, black-

wood opium stool; Mr and Mrs J. H.

Kemp, silver spoons; H. E. Sir Frederick

D. Lugard, silver bowl; Rt. Revd. Bishop

and Mrs Lauder, bible: Miss M. A. Leo,

brass tray; Mr and Mrs Lau Che Pak

butter dish; Mr and Mrs A. C. Little, jam jar; Mr Lock Hong, coffee cups and saucers; Capt. P. M. B. Lake, travelling clock; Mr Li Yau Chun, Brooch Major Macdonald, luncheon stand; Sir-Henry and Lady May, blackwood frame and easel; Mr. and Mrs F. Maitland, brass vane; Mr H. N. Mody, silver rose bowl; Miss Maker, Japanese teaset; Mr McKutchon, silver vases; Mr and Mrs M. Hughes, Doulton ware afternoon tos The happy and charming young bride, set; Mrs H. Pinckney, silver bags; who was given away by her father, was Mr and Mrs Burns Pyo, silver buit spoon;

silver frame; Mc G. H. Saunders, thermos

jug; Mr See Woo, silk and scent; Hon. A. M. Thomson, case of carvers; Mr and David Wood, silver umbrella handle; ver box; Mr Wang Hing, silver fruit spoons; Mr and Mrs R. B. Williamson, silver fruit knives; Mr J A. Young, silver salt cellars; Public Works' Department Staff, silver ten service and butter dish; Sergeants' Mess, H. K. Vol. Corps, Blackwood cabinet; No. 3, Company, H.K.V.A., Repeater block; Miss Ella Rows and Mr W. G. Worcester, silver spoons; Mr and Miss Bryor, Blackwood table, Dr H. G Hobson, set of silver menu and card

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At the approaching annual meeting of shareholders of the Chartered Bank of India, Australia and China the Directors will recommend a dividend at the rate of 15 per cent per annum Cunking 14 per cent for the year) adding £25,000 to Reserve Fund (raising it to £1,600,000) and carrying forward £124,168.

SPORTING.

The Calendar.

Friday, March 11. ATELEPICS. - Mahiatta Sports. VOLUNTEERING -- Maxim Saturday March 12.

Abustics.-Hongkong Regatta. Boxing. - Lewis v. Simms at City Hall, FOOTBALL - Honzkong Shield Final.

Buffer, Naval Yard. ! .CRICKET. - Hongkong Club v. Garrison Poso.-Hingkong & Manila, Polo Club ground, Causeway, Bay, 4 p.m. Sunday, March 13.

YACHTING. - C.Y.C. Cup Race. Voluntzening. - Musketry; trained men, Parts land 2; 2 p.m. YACHTING .- Royal H.K. Yacht Club

Handicap and One Design Class racing; .. 30 and 2.40 p.m., distance, 81 miles, Monday, March 14. RIFLE SUCCING .- Annual prize meeting China United Services Rifle Association,

Kowloon City and King's Park ranges. Saturday, March 19. Volunteering -- Annual inspection by Major General Broadwood. Parade at Headquarters at 2.15 p.m. YACHTING. - Royal H.K. Yacht Club Handicap and One Design Class racing;

Cricket.

HONGKONG v. GARRISON. The cricket match for Saturday between unable to get a team together.

League Cricket.

Kowloon v. R. E. Kowloon will entertain the R. E's at spoons and sugar tongs; Dr C. M. Heanley, Kowloon on Saturday at 2. p.m. Kowloon The Studio, for January. 2 butter dishes; Mr Mrs and Miss Shelton will be represented by J. P. Robins n. Hooper, silver sauce bonts; Mr and Mrs W.F. Brewer, Major E. P. Chitty, W. L. Hocking, cut glass dish; the Misses set of silver sweet dishes. and set of silver ton, C. W. Jeffries, D. J. Mackenzie, A. O. cruets; Mr and Mrs E. Jones Hughes, Brawn and W. T. Elson, silver gipsy kettle; Miss Hughes, set of

Bro herton Harker, four silver vases; Mr and Mrs H. K Holmes, silver clock and

Y.M.C.A. v ENGINEERS' INSTITUTE. and Mrs Ho Fook, silver basket; Mr and evening the billiard competition between very charming. Mrs Jupp, silver serviette rings; Mr and the Y.M.O.A. and the Engineers Institute was continued when Mr A. Hamilton, Y.M.C.A., best Mr Ulderup by 250 to 189 and Mr Watson, Y.M.C.A., best Mr Smiles

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LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL His Excellency Sir Frederick Lugard prosided at the meeting of the Legislative Council which was hold this afternoon, There were also present :- .

H.E. Major General BROADWOOD, Hon, Sir Hanny May, Colonial Secretary. Hon. Mr F. A. HAZELAND, Acting Xt. torney General. Hon. A. M. Thomson, Colonial Treas-

Hon. Mr A. W. Brewin, Registrar Gen-

Hon, Mr W. J. Garsson.

Hon. Mr W. CHITHIM, Director of Public Works.

Hen. Mr F. J. BADRLAY, Capt. Supt. of

Hon, Mr Wat You, C.M.G. Hon, Mr E. A. HEWETT. Mr C. CLEMENTI (Clerk of Councils). PENSION ORDINANCE.

Hen Attorney General moved the second reading of the bill entitled An Ordinance to amend the Pension Ordinance, 1862. Hon Colonial Secretary seconded and the bill was read a second time. The bill passed through committee and was subsequently read a third time and passed.

LIQUOR'S ORDINANCE. Hos Attorney moved the second reading the bill entitled An Ordinance to further amend the Liquors Ordinance, 1909 Hon Colonial Secretary' seconded and the bill was read a second time. The bill passed through the committee

stage and was subsequently read a third time and passed. Hon Attorney General moved the accone reading of the bill entitled An Ordinance further to amend the Magistrates and Crimical Law Amendment Ordinance,

Hon Colonial Secretary seconded and the bill was read a second time. The bill remained in committee,

Second reading of the Bill entitled An Ordinance to regulate the Law as to Oaths. Hon. Colonial Secretary seconded and the bill was read a second time. The hill passed through the committee stage and was subsequently read a third time and passed. o

OFFICIAL SIGNATURES, FEES. Hon. Attorney General moved the second reading of the Bill entitled An Ordinance to amend the Official Signatures

Hon. Colonial Secretary seconded and ever to the second as is now done. the bill was read a second time. The bill passed through the committee stage and was subsequently read a thir time and passed. --

FINANCE COMMITTEE. A meeting of the Finance Committee was subsequently held. The Hon. Colonial Secretary presided, and the following votes were considered and passed :--

Works extraordinary, miscellaneous, furniture etc. for the Public Works Department matshed and the District Officer's quarters at Taipe for use by Engineers, Surveyors and Overseers.

STATUR SQUARE. Works, Extraordinary, Miscellaneous, Bamboo fonce around the proposed garden at the Queen's Statue Square. Roplying to questions, the Colonial Secup an iron railing, but this was to be being thus deprived of six firsts among the ordered from Home. Hon. Mr Osborne-I'm sfraid if you put

FISH BREEDING POND. A sum of \$500 in aid of the vote Public Works, Extraordinary, Miscellaneous, Fish Breeding Pond Construction. SANITARY DEPORTMENT.

thing better.

Department, Personal Emclument, Veter. inary Staff, Tallyman at Ma Tau Kok Sinughter House.

HANSARD REPORTS. A sum of \$28 in aid of the vote Colonial Secretary's Department and Legislature Other Charges, Hansard Reports. RESUMPTION OF LAND.

A sum of \$1,150 in aid of the vote Public" Works, Extraordinary, Public great loss to the Horticultural Society. Health and Buildings Ordinance, 1903 Compensation to the Squatters in Hok Un guerite, heliotrope, candy tuft, carnation, Village for resumption of their land and dahlins, coryopsis, geranium and freesia. for disturbance.

OTHER PUBLIC WORKS! A sum of \$14,694 in aid of the vote. Public Works, extraordinary, for the following items :- Staff quarters, Tai Po. S.r Paul Chater. Among the cut flowers \$281; additional room at Queen's College from the Peak, three firsts were very for pupil teachers, \$4,725; market at deservedly won by Mrs Turner, whose Aberdoen, \$2,200; extension of Tai Po admirable staging showed the exhibits off Land Office to afford accommodation for to much better advantage than those put district officer, \$7,488,

OPICH DIVAN COMPENSATION. Miscellaneous Services, compensation to weather experienced during the last three the licensees of opium and dross opium weeks. divans whose divans have been closed as from the 1st of March, 1910. Hon. Mr Gresson asked if the Home ing and foliage plants to cover a Government's attention was being drawn space of 10 feet by 12 feet. The first to that item with a view to Hongkong prize was won by Mr Ho Tung; the been abandoned, owing to the later being collecting a substantial portion of the loss. Hon. Colonial Secretary replied that His by Sir Paul Chater. The general arrange-Excellency the Governor was giving the ment of these groups is horseshoe-shaped, Excellency the Governor was giving the matter his attention.

REVIEWS.

A very satisfying number is the Studig competition; a well deserved first Wesser, J. H. Mend, W. Curwen, F. Sutt. illustrations. The article on the painting violets in silver vases. Mrs Seth took the and sculpture of Charles Ricketts is very second prize. Attempts have been made sympathetic, though it fails to win one to to grow bulbs in the colony and some very London successes, including the pieces that |any "enthusiastic regard for the artist's by Mrs Maitland; six pots sent by Lady ideals. His work is too decorative, his May being scarcely sufficiently advanced Owing to the inclemency of the weather and mass to please the fastidious. The figures too often of the abnormal in outline for exhibition purposes. the Polo match between Hongkong and sculpture of Prince Paul Troubetzkoi now gratulated on the admirable show of plants Manila, arranged for this afternoon, has makes much more appeal; but then we and vegetables and deserves sympathy for Humphreys, silver frame; Mr and Mrs been perponed till 4 o'clock to-morrow admiration wrongly. Some beautiful second day. may be only Phillistines and cost our itsill-luck in the matter of weather on the reproductions are given of the seascapes of Julius Oleson, a painter who has all the mystery and the witchery of the ocean in his brush, while the appreciation of the late'A. G. MacGregor is very finely phrased. The studies of cottage architecture, of At the Y.M.C.A. Rooms on Wednesday which eleven illustrations are given, are

> Anyone not acquainted with the previous works loan to the amount of 150 millions adventures of Lady Susan Roach will have france. a little difficulty in picking up the threads of this story. But once the necessary closes are in hand, the book will be found far fillis is one of the most dangerous, and unsworving obedience, and so after all her tendency towards pneumonia. It is made: tamptations and tempests she glides as last especially tor t are and similar silments. but the list speaks for itself. into the harbour of sweet content.

THE PLOWER SHOW.

[SECOND NOTICE.] - - 1 10 We printed on Tuesday the list of Prize winners. The first day of the Show, however, which is largely taken up with the judging of exhibits and the distribution of Prisos, does not give opportunity for so careful a study of the exhibits as they well

The Plants in Pots open to all were woll up to the standard of last year. The principal class in this group-6 pots of annuals—was well sepresented Mr He Kom Tong took the first prime with 2 pots of canaricasis, pots of antirrhinum and 2 pots candy tuft. Sir Paul Chater took the second prize with 2 pots of antirrhinum, 2 of THEY dianthus and 2 of mignonotte. Class 2 was won by Miss Wallace with 3 pots of a very pretty blue iris, the second prize going to Mrs Browin for 3 fine pots of white arum. The first prize for 3 palms other than fan palms was won by Miss Wallaco, whose 3 splendid specimens of chrysalidrearpus will take a lot of beating. The roses in pots were scarcely equal to last year. Sir Paul Chater took the first prize for geraniums, his exhibit! being followed very closely by three pota of splendid scarles flowers from the garden of the Hon. W. J. Gresson. The nastured tiums were below the average. Perhaps the weather was against them or it may be that many people think so easily grown a plant is not worth taking trashle over. A feature of the show was the great quantity

of white marguerites exhibited; it is a plant which has come much into regue here in the last few years and seems to suit the Hon. Attorney "eneral moved the climate. The first place for maiden hair ferns went to Mrs Ho Tung; the prize, however, went to Mr J. I. Plummer under the rule which prevents the winner of the first prise for the group of flowering and foliage plants from taking more prizes for pot plants. The rule leads to some confusion in the distribution of prize cards and we would suggest that in future the exhibit judged best should be marked as "first prize," the prize itself going how-

The pot plants from the Peak made a poor show. No doubt the bad weather of the past three weeks has hit that district harder that the lower levels. Freesias marguerites and heliotrope were the only flowers which appeared to much advantage. WATKINS' The vegetables in the open toali classes certainly hade a splendid show. The first prize A sum of \$150 in aid of the vote, Public Sir Paul Chater, his collection containing cabbage, caulificwer, potatoe, carrot, turnip, beet, khol rabi, spinach, radish, French bears, parsnip and leeks. The second prize for the box was won by Mr Ho Kom Tong; very good collections being A sum of \$116 in aid of the vote, Public also sent by Mr D. Dorabjee, Mr P. W. Goldring and the Hon. W. J. Gresson. The rule preventing the winner of the first price for the group taking other prizes retary said it was ultimately hoped to put again canto into force here, Sir Paul Chater classes of coparate vegetables. Some very gun drill, up a bamboo railing we shall never get any going to Sgt. Kerr, of Sheung Shin, who beans. There were several good dishes of

strawberries. The Peak also produced some good vegetables. Though by no means equal to those from the lower levels, the collections were A sum of \$202 in aid of the vote Sanitary | mostly placed at a disadvantage, the boxes | being in some cases large and roughly finished; still the exhibits showed what can be done and that even at those levels one need not be at the mercy of the Chinese market gardener. Among the cut flowers there were some fine exhibits. The first prize for 12 bunches was won by Mrs Choa, the widow of Mr

Choa Leep Chee, whose death was a The collection contained verbens, mar The second prize wents to Mrs Ho Tung, and good exhibits were staged by Mrs Makeham, Mr Goldring and Mr Nicholson, A fine stand of 12 carnations was sent by

on with less care. There were several vacant spaces among the Peak cut flowers, A sum of \$16,747.27, in aid of the vote no doubt accounted for by the execrable

Among the general exhibits the principal item was the group of flowersecond by Hon W. J. Gresson, and third not unlike a Chinese grave, and the object of exhibitors appears to be to get in as many pots of different coloured flowers aspossible. With a little more arrangement of colours and a little less crowding a better effect

would probably be produced. "Only four tables were decorated for

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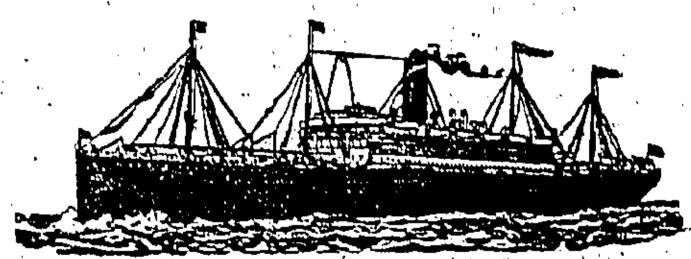
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Euperintendent. Hongkong, March 7, 1910.

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AMERICAN & MANOHURIAN LINK NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES, FROM NEW YORK.

THE Steamship

KARONGA, Captain LESLIE, having arrived from above port. Consigners of Cargo are hereby informed that their goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Gedown Co., Id., Kowloon, and stored at Cennig-nees risk and expense. All broken, chaired, and damaged Goods 9.50 a.m. are to be left in the Godowns, where they All claim

will be examined on Turnay, the 15th inst. at 3 P.M. All Claims must be presented within fifteen days of the steamer's arrival here after which date they cannot be recognized. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all

Goods remaining undelivered after the 15th inst. will be subject to rept. No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by SHEWAN, TOMES & CO.,

Hongkong, March 9, 1910. 'BEN' LINE OF STEAMERS. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

STEAMSHIP BENDORAN.

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the 22ad March, or they will not be All broken, chaled, and damaged Goods | tisements from £3. will be examined on the 15th March, at

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Hongkong, March 8, 1910. PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. FROM SAN FRANCISCO, JAPAN PORTS & SHANGHAL

MONSIGNEES of CARGO per Steamship MANCHURIA The above - mentioned steamer having arrived, Consignees of Cargo are hereby notified to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of Cargo from alongside.

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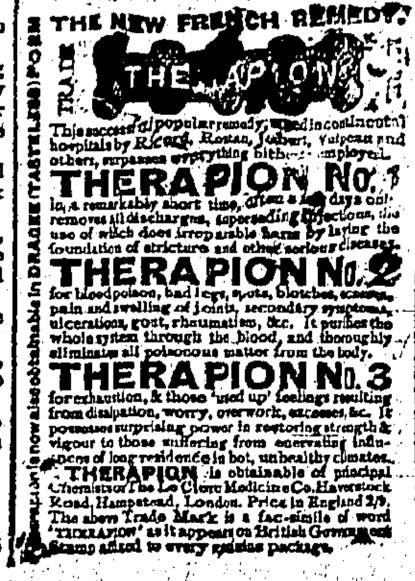
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sure is rel tively low to the N.E. of Japan; and over the S. part of the China Sea. Strong monsoon may be expected in the Formosa Channel and the N. part of the Hongkong rainfall for the 24 hears end-

ing at 10-a.m. to-day, 0.18 inches: Forecast for the 24 hours ending at noon 1.-Hengkong and Neighbourhood : N.E winds, fresh; drizzling rain at first,

probably improving later. ... 2.-Formosa Channel: N.E. winds, strong to fresh. 3.-South coast of China between Hongkong and Lamocka: Same as No. 1. 4.7-South coast of China hetween Hongkong and Haiman; Same as No. 2.

EXCHANGE. Hongkong, March 10, 1919.

On London-Bank Wire "On demand, 30 days' sight 1/811 4 months sight 1/8 Documentary, 4-months' eight 1/3,3 On Parls-On demand, Oredita, 4 months sight,... ... 22:1 On Berlin-On demand, On New York On demand. Credit, 60 days' sight, On Bombay-Wire, ... On demand, On Calcutta-Wire, On demand, On Singapore-On demand, On Manila---On demand, On Shanghal-On demand. 30 days' sight, (private paper) 75 g On Yokohama-Un demand. Gold Leaf, 100 fine, (per tael) ...\$80.00 Sovereigns (Banks' buying rate) \$11.55 Silver (per oz.) 233 Bar Silver in Hongkong bl % p. Uhinese Copper Cash 1 % p. Rate of Native Interest 5 %p.a. Chinese Sub. Coin 81% dis. Hongkong Sub. Coin... ... 8 % dis.

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HOTHOW & BANGKOK .-Per Prometheus, at 8" a.m., on Friday, 11th March. QUANG-OHOW-WAN, HOIHOW, PAK-

HOI & HAIPBONG .-Per Hanoi, at 11 a.m., on Friday, the MACAO. Per Sui Tai, it 1.15 p.m., on Friday,

the 11th March. MANILA. Por Yuensang, at 3 p.m., on Friday, the lish March.

SYDNEY, N.S.W. Per Providence, at 5 p.m., on Friday, the 11th March.

MOJI, KOBE, YOKOHAMA, VIC-TORIA. VANCOUVER & TACOMA. . Por Kumeric, et 10 a.m., on Saturday, the 12th March.

MANILA. Per Zafiro, at 18 a.m., on Saturday, the 18th March.

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Hongkong, March 10, 1910.

HONGXONG REGATTA. SIXTH MEETING. SATGRDAY, 12th MARCH, 1919.

THE COMMITTEE request the pleasure I of the presence of the Ladies of the Colony at the above Relatts at Fenvick's Reclamation. East Point. - By kind permission of Col. Prior and Officers, the Band of the 13th Rajputa will play during the afternoon.

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Hon. Secretary. Hongkong, March 10, 1910.

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Hongkony, March 1, 1910.

SHIPPING ARRIVALS. -March 9.

Laisang, British str., 2,225, E. J. Tadd, Calcutta and Singapore March 3, General, -JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., LD. . Hanoi, French steamer, 630; J. Paunier, Haiphong, via Pakhoi, Hoihow and Kwang. chow wan March 4, General. - A. R

Tsinanfil', Chinese str., 1,460, Juliussen, (F Saigon March o, Rice .- WALLEM & Co. Edgar, British cruiser, 3,000, Hon. M. Boyle, M.V.O., R.N., from England. Annut, British str., from Canton.

March 10. Choysang, British str., 1,424, M. Court. Glenfarg. ney, Shanghai and Swatow March 9, Gen orni.-Jandina, Matheson & Co., Ld. Paoling, British str , 1,073, E. L. Jones, Saigon March 4. Rice. - BUTTERVIELD &

Kwangse, British-steamer, 1,228, C. P. Cole, Wakamatan March 4, Coal. - Mirson 326 BUBBAN KAISHA. - Lycemoon, German steamer, 1,295, W.

Metzenthin, Saigon March 5, Rice .-HAMBURG-AMERIKA LINIE.

DEPARTURES. March 10. Bujun Maru, for Swatow. Chinhua, for Canton. Prominent, for Singapore... Karonga, for Shanghai. Bingo Maru, for Singapore and Bombay. 329 Singan, for Holhow. Yatshing, for Hongay. Haimun, for Swatow. Tuncan, for Saigon. Namsung, for Singapere and Calcutta.

> Phranang, for Bangkok. Syria, for Singapore and London. Tribodus, for Shanghai... Prometheus, for Boihow. Anhui, for Shanghai. Bendoran, for Nagasski. Chaylang, for Canton. Kwangse, for Canton. Choufa, for Swatow. Reang Bee, for Amoy. Paklat, for Swatow. Kaifong, for Amoy and Iloilo.

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Per Haitan, for Swatow, Mesers R. M. fillig Company's Steamenip Laisang, Jones, W. B. Pettus, J. L. McPherson, having arrived from the above Ports and Ludwig; for Amoy, Mi. Lulton; for The Since Line s.s. Glamorganihire left Poochow, Mr M. Samura, Miss Johnson Loigh and Sister Macarrie. Per Haimun, for Swatow, Mr Occar

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ARRIVALS AT HOME.

-Mirch 8, Cardiganshire, Canton, Persous,

STEAMER MOVEMENTS.

The N. D. L. S.S. Kleisl with the GERNAN

Man of the 9th February, left Sin-

gapore on Sunday, the 6th March,

at 8 s.m., and may be expected here

on or about Thursday, the 10th March,

the FRANCH Mail of the 13th Feb.,

and mails from London of the 12th

Feb., left Singapore on Monday, the

7th March, at 4 p.m., and may be

expected to arrive here on Monday

C. P. R. Oo,'a s.s. Montengle

at San Francisco on February 27th.

on the 25th February, at 3 p.m.

The M. M. Co.'s steamer Polynesien with

morning, the 11th March.

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or about the 12th March. ..

on the 14th March.

Oceanien, Persia, Priam.

March 7, Socotra.

Pirigency.

Hongkong Dispensary.

The T. K. E. s.s. Atsuta Marte (European PRAMERS PASSED SUEZ CANAL Line) left Kobe for this port via Mo OUTWARD BOUND. and Shaughai on the 5th March, and Februsry 4, Austria. expected here on the 14th March. February 11, Dardanus, The N. Y. K. s.s. Kumano Maru (Aus tralian Line) left Yokohama for thi February 15. Benvenue, Maloppo. port via Kobe, Moji and Nagasaki o February 18, Kitano Maru, Nippon. the 5th March, and is expected her February 22, Ospack, Teenkai, Alesia. on the 15th March. February 25, Oalchas, Vandalia, Wakasa The T. K. K. s.s. Chiyo Maru salls frem Yokohama on the 7th March, a March I, Benalder, Glenroy, Invereik, Monmouthshire, Myrmidon, Sardinia, John

route to Hongkong. She is expecte to arrive here on the 15th March. The N. Y. K. s.s. Yeterofu Maru (Bombs March 4, Aki Maru, Bellerophon, Line), left Bombay for this port v Singspore on the 25th February, an March 8, Aragonia, Astyanax, Belgravia, is expected he e on the 15th March. China, Kennebec, Sado Maru, Sumatra, The Bank Line Ltd.'s s.s. Aymeric rived at Kobe on the 8th March, at is due at this port on or about t

18th March. The E. & A. steamer Eastern from Sy ney, &c., left Manils on the 8 March, at 5 p.m. for this port. The P. &'A. S. S. Co.'s s.s. Henrils Ib sailed from Astoris en route to Hon kong on Sunday, March 6th. The New York Lines.s. Shimesa arrived

Now York on 2nd March. The Danish s.s. Cathay left Seez on Mo day, the 14th February, and may expected here on ar about Wednesda the 16th March. The s.s. Erroll left United Kingdom the 5th February for Hongkong

Straits. Latest Advices. The P. & A. Co.'s s.s. Hercules sail from Astoria en route to Hongkong Monday, March 7th. The N. D. L. s.s. Prinz Eitel Friedr

sailed from Yokohama for Vancouver which left here on Wednesday, the Soy Chee Cotton Splaning Co. Ld. 9th February, at noon, arrived, at | China Provident Loan Mortgage | 200,000 | The P. M. S. S. Co, a s.s. Mongolia arrived The C. P. R. Co.'s R.M.S. s.s. Empress of The T. K. K. Co.'s s.s. Tenyo Maru ar- Campbell, Moore & Co., Limited ... 1,200 India left Yokohama on the 6th March, at S p.m., for Vancouver and Victoria, rived at San Francisco on the 4th

The s.s. Arratoon Apear from Calcutta, South China Morning Post. Vessels Expected. left Singapore on the afternoon of the The N. G. I. s.s. Copri left Singapore for 9th March, and may be expected here this port on the morning of the onor about the 14th March. 3rd March, and may be expected hereon or about the 10th March. Temperature. The Bank Line Ltd.'s s.s. Kumerie left Hongkong, March 10, 1910.

Manile on the morning of 8th March. BAROYSTEBand is due here on Thursday evening, 4 P.M. ... The H. A Linie s.s. Liberia left Singspore THERMOYETER on the 4th March, a.m., and may be expected here on or about the 10th 4 P.X. 9 A.M. The s.s. Glenstrae left Singapore on Sun-1 P.M. ... day, the 6th March; and is due here 4 P.M. on or about Saturday, the 12th March, Maximum . Minimum (over zight)

Singapore for this port on the 5th ORUUP. March, and may be expected here on THE first symptom of this disease is hosrseness. When Chamberlain's The N. Y. K. S.s. Yawata Maru (Austra. Cough Remedy in given as soon as the lian Line) left Thursday Island for shild becomes hourse, the attack our althis port via Manila on the 3rd March, ways be averted. Even after the croupy and is expected here on the 14th cough has appeared, the attack on be wanted off by the prompt use of this The N. Y. K. s.s. Iyo Maru (European Line) left Singapore for this port on remedy. It is a certain cure for croup the 8th March, and is expected here and has never been known to fail. For sale by all chemists and storekeepers.

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